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School Apportionment.

Jackson, Amador Co., Calif., Jan. 22, '10.
To the boards of trustees of Amador county.

Ladies and Gentlemen:
You will find below the second apportionment of the year commencing July 1st, '09. The superintendent of public instruction reports that \$1912.40 is available for apportionment, to this amount has been added the balance on hand in the state fund, \$49.88, and from the total, \$19,162.28, I apportioned \$19,156.00 leaving balance of \$6.28. Drytown receives \$125 extra for five census children and Rancheria \$350 as a suspended district.

The districts marked with a star are joint school districts.

Respectfully,
W. H. GREENHALGH
Superintendent of Schools.

NAME OF DISTRICT	No. of Teachers	State Fund
1. Aetna	1	\$ 325.00
2. Amador City	3	975.00
3. Antelope	1	325.00
4. *Bridgeport	56	182.00
5. Buena Vista	1	325.00
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7. Carbondale	1	325.00
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14. Franklin	1	325.00
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16. Grapevine	1	325.00
17. Ione	4	1300.00
18. Jackson	8	2600.00
19. Jackson Valley	1	325.00
20. Julian	1	325.00
21. Lancha Plana	1	325.00
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Petition for Rehearing.

In the case of Fred Martin on habeas corpus, recently decided by the Supreme court, Solinsky & Wehe, Paul Morf, John Hancock, the attorneys for the mine owners, have filed a petition for a rehearing. This is the somewhat celebrated case brought to test the eight hour law as applied to miners, and in which the court sustained the constitutionality of the law. As the case was heard in banc, and the decision was clear and specific, covering every point in the case, with no dissenting opinion, the probability that a rehearing will be granted is very small.—Prospect.

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Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the Jackson, Cal. post office for the week ending Jan 28:

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RANCHERIA MASSACRE RECALLED

True Story of This Great Tragedy The Lynching

Continued from last week.

Two or three hundred miners had gathered at Rancheria—intent upon taking the lives of two Mexicans, one of whom had been arrested just above the place on suspicion that he had been indirectly connected with the murderous band. He was seen during the night of the massacre carrying a torch a few hundred yards above the town. Whispers went out that he was one of the gang that had built the fire in the center of the street immediately following the massacre. The men who had congregated about the place were a sturdy, uncouth lot of miners of pioneer days—each with a revolver swinging close to his side. Passion alone guided this howling boisterous throng, bent on revenge and thirsting for the blood of any and all of this murderous gang. The blood of the victims of the massacre had dried in patches upon the floor and upon the ground close around the place. Hang them! yes hang them! went up the cry and waited its way in the air that surrounded them. The doomed men's arms were pioned, ropes were placed around their necks. The victims felt and knew what it meant. One fell upon his knees and pleaded in Spanish to save his life. Upon his knees he raised his head in plaintive appeal toward heaven to the God of Eternity for aid. He begged for his life and protested his innocence, he said he was free from any crime of evil doing whatever. Some with hearts of mercy turned their eyes from off the pleading man, for they in their hearts believed he was really innocent. The majority were obstinate. The doomed man cried out in Spanish for a confessor. But no priestly garbed confessor came to minister to his spiritual appeal. He was told in Spanish no confessor was near, he must prepare to meet his fate. The other man, hardened in crime—innured in blood of his victims, held a stoical look in demeanor and action. Two hundred yards up the creek from the place of the massacre stood a great water oak—green, strong and thrifty in its life. Forcing the two men into a wagon drawn by two mules, the doomed men were hauled under a great limb that stood out at right angles from the tree, the wagon was brought to a standstill. The ropes already upon their necks, one end of which was now thrown over the limbs and drawn taut around it. Upon the notification that the ropes were securely fastened—a thunderous burst of applause from the crowd rent the air. The man that drove the mules drove out from under the strangle to death before the gaping crowd. A few short moments elapsed only when the inanimate bodies of the two men swung gently in oscillation in the wind. The denouncement of all this tragedy hung there in its appalling sense of mortal justice. The tree itself as if stricken by some almighty force withered and died the following year, and many a man with suspicious awe attributed its death to the hanging upon it of one innocent man.

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Suing for Property.

J. D. Mason, the surviving husband of Eliza Jane Mason, who died May 11, 1902, has petitioned the superior court, through his attorney, Walter N. Parrish, to be given the community property owned by husband and wife at the time of her death. The property consists of lots in Brown's addition. February 5th at 1:30 p. m. has been set as the time for hearing the petition. Mr Parrish was admitted to the bar recently and the above will be his first appearance in court in this city unaided and alone, as a practicing lawyer.—Stockton Independent.

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MORE ABOUT THE PADGET AFFAIR

The Sacramento Bee recently published the particulars of sheriff Gregory's recent trip to Texas, substantially the same as was detailed in the Ledger after the officer had got back from his journey. The Placerville Nugget of last week publishes the Bee's article in full, and adds the following to round up the story:

Sheriff Gregory evidently expects the public to pass him a nice bouquet of liberal proportions on the strength of the foregoing little story. And he would be entitled to it, too, if there was nothing else to the narrative. But unfortunately for the bouquet, and also for the sheriff of Amador, there remains much history in connection with Padget's career which the Bee omitted. In regard to the selling of burros to the railroad company at fancy prices, that was an arrangement between Padget's employer and himself, and they worked it to their mutual advantage until it ceased to be profitable. When Padget located in Nashville, El Dorado county, he undertook to run his saloon in his own way, but the half breeds of that section considered this an infringement of their rights, and called on Padget one evening for the purpose of "running him off the ranch." The ringleader was killed in the fight. Padget left for Alaska, and upon his arrival there took the name of Knowles. He acquired valuable mining property. An old acquaintance happened along one day and accosted him as Padget, and the latter confessed the situation to the supposed friend. The friend turned his knowledge to advantage by taking over a half interest in all Padget's mining property for keeping still. They came out together, with the understanding that they were to return to Alaska together. Padget went to Texas to clear up his record there, and the "friend" saw a prospective chance to do him out of all his valuable Alaska property. When the Texas charge against Padget was dismissed, those who started out to "do" him resorted to an attempt to have the El Dorado officers take up the killing of the half breed in Nashville. Sheriff Cook was telegraphed to and he did not even consider the matter of sufficient importance to answer the telegram. The conspirators then enlisted the services of the Amador county official, and he is certainly entitled to some sort of recognition for the way in which he took the bait. We hope he got well paid for his part of the work. What a nice thing it would be for somebody if Padget could be railroaded to the penitentiary either in Texas, California or anywhere else, while others exploit his Alaskan mining claims, from which it is alleged \$300,000 in gold dust has already been taken, and the grass roots hardly disturbed. The Bee and Sheriff Gregory should finish up the history they started with such a flourish.

Joint Installation.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges of Jackson held a joint installation on Saturday evening last in Odd Fellows hall. The officers of Odd Fellows were installed by V. W. Norton, district deputy, as follows: N. G., H. E. Stewart; V. G., Robert Jeffries, secretary, H. A. Clark; treasurer, W. M. Penry; R. S. to N. G., S. Corpocich; L. S. to N. G., John Moyle; warden, F. M. Pense; conductor, C. B. Johnson; chaplain, Geo. Hambric; R. S. S., Archie Popovich; L. S. S., John Millovich; O. G., Pete Verretti; I. G. Pete Andriesovich.

The installation of the officers of Rebekah lodge was conducted by district deputy Grace Johnson of Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. 63. The following were installed:

N. G., Annie Angove; V. G., Amy Clark; recording secretary, L. Clark; treasurer, Kate Langhorst; financial secretary, Emma B. Wright; L. S. N. G. Mrs. L. Pense; R. S. N. G., Etta Harris; I. G., Emma Williams; O. G., Jane Rose; chaplain, M. Vandament; R. S. V. G., Bertha Mounter; L. S. V. G., Mae Rose; warden, J. Harvey.

Enlarging Ditch.

William H. Warren and Henry Myers have a crew of twelve or fifteen men working on the old Haywards ditch, cleaning and enlarging it to a depth and width to carry sufficient water to supply Plymouth for family use and all mining and irrigating required along the line from the source to Plymouth.—Sac. Bee.

The trustees of the Jackson school have arranged to give a sheet and pillow case ball on the 5th of February, for the benefit of the school funds. Full particulars will be given later.

Impossible to be Well

It is impossible to be well, simply impossible, if the bowels are constipated. You must pay attention to the laws of nature, or suffer the consequences. Undigested material, waste products, poisonous substances, must be removed from the body at least once each day, or there will be trouble. A sluggish liver is responsible for an immense amount of suffering and serious disease. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills. He knows why they act directly on the liver. Trust him. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

MINING NOTES

Cooper.—This quartz mine is located near Oleta, and has been idle for a number of years. Several companies have taken hold of it at different times, but never developed or proved it to any depth. Recently a new company has commenced operations looking to its development, and it is the hope of the people of that section that work will be pushed ahead in a systematic and business-like way. There is no reason why there should not be paying quartz ledges in this district, which was the scene of rich placer diggings in early days.

Mitchell.—At this Pine Grove quartz mine the company that has undertaken to develop it is working away, but the weather conditions will not permit of the erection of machinery. An air compressor has been ordered, but the conditions of the roads will prevent the heavy machinery being hauled to its destination until spring. In the meantime the saw mill is kept running, cutting lumber for the necessary buildings. A boarding house is under way, and will be completed before long. About six men are working. It is the intention to install machine drills and other labor saving contrivances, so as to reduce the cost of mining to the minimum. There is said to be a big body of low grade ore, and by the introduction of up-to-date methods it is believed this ore can be made to yield a profit.

Argonaut.—The ledge encountered at the 3100 level shows up remarkably strong, and of excellent quality. It is 16 feet wide, and in gold bearing quality is fully up to the high standard of the ore bodies heretofore encountered in the levels above. Such an immense ledge at this depth gives great encouragement to the stockholders, holding out the promise of a long era of dividends. The opening up of a new level at the depth of 3300 feet is being prosecuted with all possible speed.

Bunker Hill.—The main ore body recently encountered on the 1750 level running north proves to be of large dimensions and of excellent grade. It is 9 feet wide, all of good milling character, with a streak of very high grade running through it, similar to that met with above. This extra grade rock is used for salting purposes, so as to maintain the average monthly output as near as possible, more or less of it being sent to the mill according to the grade of the bulk of the ore milled during the month. As soon as the ore body was cut on the 1750 level, a crew was put to work drifting toward the ledge at the 1950 level. It will take in the neighborhood of three months to reach the ledge at this point, as it is several hundred feet distant from the shaft. It is hoped to reach the ore body early in the spring, which will give ample time to make the addition of 20 stamps to the mill during the summer months in case the ledge proves satisfactory at this depth, which there is every reason to believe it will from present indications.

Green's Saloon Changes Hands

Virgilio Belluomini and Andrew Marcucci last Wednesday negotiated the purchase of the saloon of W. O. Green on Main street. A bargain was made, the price paid being variously stated at from \$2500 to \$4000. The sale includes only the business, stock and liquors, furniture, etc. The new owners will take possession as soon as the necessary preliminary arrangements are completed. Belluomini recently returned to this county from Oakland. He went there nearly a year ago, and started in business there. But not satisfied with conditions there, he concluded to return to the home of boyhood. The price paid for the saloon is considered steep, but they were determined to get into that business in a central position, and Mr Green, who was not anxious to sell, told them he would give way if he got his price.

A Wretched Mistake

to endure the itching, painful distress of piles. There's no need to listen: "I suffered much from piles," writes Will A. Marsh, of Siler City, N. C., "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica salve, and was soon cured." Burns, boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema, cuts, chapped hands, chilblains, vanish before it. 25c at Spangoli's Drug Store.

Inspecting the Limestone Deposits.

A movement is on foot to organize a company for the development of the vast deposits of limestone that exist in the neighborhood of Mount Echo, between Sutter Creek and Ione. The old Bonham lime kiln, which has furnished the bulk of the lime for the whole of Amador county, has been in operation since the early 50's, and is working still, furnishing the lime to the different towns along the mineral belt as well as the valley section. A party of five interested persons left Jackson on Sunday last and took the train at Martell, for the purpose of personally inspecting the limestone ledges, and the feasibility of marketing the product. They were W. H. Greenhalgh, who has been working on this proposition for over a year, G. W. Brown, A. Ginocchio, R. Webb, and J. McPherson of the Amador Central Railroad. They proceeded by rail to the big bend below the Mountain Spring house, and from thence proceeded on foot over the hills and across Sutter creek to the limestone district. They were met at Sutter creek by Mr Gebhardt, the present owner of the Bonham place, with a wagon, which conveyed the party across the creek. They traveled over the Henderson, Bonham and Sibole lands, where the bulk of the limestone formation outcrops at various places. At the Gebhardt kiln they were met by J. Newman of Ione, who is also interested in promoting the enterprise, and Mr McClelland, who has charge of the copper mine, and who came to give an idea of the cost of extracting the rock from the different points.

The visitors were fully satisfied concerning the quantity of lime rock, and as regards quality it has been submitted to expert analysis, and pronounced to be equal to the best, being within five per cent pure. The deposit most available to the nearest point on the Amador Central has never been prospected, as to extent and quality. Those interested will at once proceed to open up a quarry at this point for the purpose of satisfying themselves on these matters. Should everything turn out favorable, it is the intention to organize a company to open up the quarry and secure the necessary transportation facilities to place this product on the market. It promises to develop into a big enterprise, as there is a growing demand for limestone, as well as for the manufactured lime. The main difficulty now is the cost of transportation. Hauling by teams from the quarry to the railroad at Ione is impracticable, the cost being too heavy to permit of any margin of profit. John Strohm is also interested in the company.

Meeting of Stockmen's Association

The Amador and El Dorado Cattle-men's Association met in Jackson last Monday, January 25. While nearly all the cattlemen of Amador county were present or represented at the gathering, there were few from El Dorado county, the state of the weather and the bad condition of the roads rendering inexpedient for them to travel. E. W. Kelley, chief ranger of the Tahoe forest reserve, was present. He addressed the members, speaking of the advantages of having an association of this character, with its advisory board, and many other features of benefit to stockmen grazing within the limits of the reserve.

Officers for the ensuing term were all reelected, as follows:

C. L. Culbert, chairman.
W. E. Finn, secretary.
G. A. Kirkwood, treasurer.
Advisory board, J. W. Jones, Oscar Myers, and A. Caminetti.

The committee on marks and brands, was instructed to get out books giving description of marks and brands, and mail a copy to each member.

The meeting adjourned to meet in Jackson, January 24, 1911, unless otherwise determined upon hereafter.

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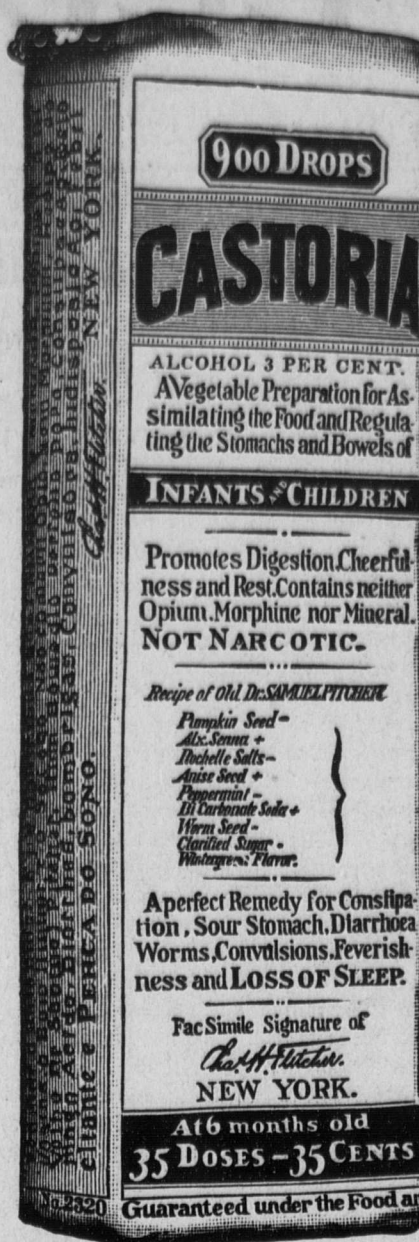
FRIDAY..... JANUARY 28, 1910

Editorial Column.

A NOVEL BOYCOTT.

The latest boycott scheme is to abstain from eating meat so as to bring down the price of beef, which it is claimed is kept up to an exorbitant figure. The promoters propose to abstain from eating beef until the conditions are changed more in accordance with their views. The craze over the trust problem is responsible for this movement. It is contended that the beef trust has brought about the high prices, so the cry of "Down with the trusts," has been taken up by the housewives in the eastern states, and the discredited boycott has been adopted as the most potent weapon to accomplish this end. There can be no question that meat is outrageously high. For that matter, so is everything else in the shape of foodstuffs. The people have to find a scapegoat for this condition of things, and the combinations commonly designated trusts have the blame saddled upon them. Perhaps they are responsible in a measure. We do not believe they are wholly to blame, nor even mainly. In this age of big undertakings we cannot get along, and keep pace with the march of progress, without vast combinations of capital. We speak of these so-called trusts as something apart from and hostile to the masses of the people. As a matter of fact, the money with which these big enterprises are inaugurated and carried on comes largely from people of small capital comparatively. The people invest their savings in the bonds and stocks of these concerns, and in the absence of this investment they could not be conducted. It is true, that a few money magnates reap the lion's share of the benefit, but that will apply to almost every department of business. The boycott is a very poor remedy for any evil. Indeed, in its spirit and demoralizing effects it is infinitely worse than the evil it is intended to cure. As a matter of fact, it never cured or lessened any evil. It will fail in this new sphere of anticipated usefulness. The contracted demand for meat for a brief time may disturb the stock market, and cause a temporary lowering of prices. Soon the boycott conspiracy will fall to pieces from its own inherent weakness, and the meat business will relapse into the old groove. We say this without excusing the existing extravagant prices. Meat has not advanced in price in greater ratio than other commodities. Labor has been boosted to much higher figures than prevailed a decade ago, and this result is not altogether due to the agitation of labor organizations. Of course, with increased pay for labor—which is the main factor of expense in the production of all articles of commerce—there has naturally been a corresponding advance all along the line. It is a mistake to imagine that any material increase in the price of labor can be gained without affecting the price of the products of labor. It is more than probable that the enormously increased production of gold within the last half century has more to do with the jump in prices generally than all other causes combined. We are apt to speak of gold as the most stable thing known in value. An ounce of gold represents as many dollars to-day as it did twenty years ago. It is the world's accepted standard of value. But notwithstanding this it is subject to the same fluctuations under the law of supply and demand as any other commodity. Gold cheapness is exemplified in the price of all other articles soaring skyward. The purchasing power of gold is lessened, and that amounts to the same thing practically as a falling off in the value of gold.

The bounty on coyote and other scalps cost Siskiyou county in the neighborhood of \$1000 last month. Amador, considering its much smaller territory, will not lag far behind this record, when the bounty business gets in good working shape. It is a noteworthy fact that this head bounty on predatory animals has been revived not for the protection of small farmers, for the small farms have been gobbled up at an alarming rate of late years by the cattle raisers, who roam their herds over vast areas which ought to be the homes of hundreds of prosperous families.



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A PADEREWSKI STORY.

The Great Musician's First Important Engagement in Paris.

Paderewski's first really important engagement as a pianist was in Paris. He was engaged to play in the drawing room of a lady famous for her musicals, and his fee, which seemed to him enormous, was \$20. He managed to persuade the humane agent to pay him in advance, and when Paderewski had redeemed his dress suit from pawn and paid for shoes, gloves, tie and other essentials he had no money left for cab hire, so he was forced to walk to the scene of his engagement.

The music loving audience inspired him. He played with feeling, passion and mastery of his instrument as never before. His success was instant and unmistakable. The poor player had suddenly become the lion of the hour, his dream had become a reality, and fame and fortune were assured him.

At last after disengaging himself from his admirers he turned to leave, when his hostess, remembering with regret the smallness of the fee for so marvelous a performance, offered him her carriage for his return home. But Paderewski's pride came to the rescue. In his courteous yet reserved way he made a formal bow, and, saying, "No, thank you, madame; my own is waiting," he stepped out for his long walk homeward.—Pearson's Weekly.

SCARED THE OLD SAVAGE.

Ruse That Saved Dr. Felkin From King Mtesa of Uganda.

When the well known African traveler Dr. Robert Felkin was staying with the bloodthirsty King Mtesa of Uganda many years ago the king, out of gratitude for his visitor's medical treatment, wished to cut off his head. On Dr. Felkin representing that the treatment was not finished and that if interrupted it would cause Mtesa's death the latter granted him a reprieve until he was quite recovered. Then, however, nothing availed, and the execution was determined upon.

Emin Pasha, who was a friend of Dr. Felkin, had instructed him most accurately about the state of affairs in Uganda and the court of King Mtesa and had revealed to him an important state secret—namely, where Mtesa's powder store was hidden. Dr. Felkin remembered this at the right moment and as a last resort threatened that if Mtesa killed him he would bring down a flash of lightning upon his powder store. Mtesa replied incredulously. "Tell me where it is," whereupon Dr. Felkin whispered in his ear. "It is concealed under your harem."

Mtesa turned pale and allowed Felkin and his companions to live. The "lightning maker's" authority increased when next day a flash of lightning happened to strike near the harem.

Fooled the Town.

University students have long enjoyed a reputation as practical jokers, but there has been nothing quite so successful as the famous sultan of Zanzibar hoax of some years ago at Cambridge. One day the mayor of the town received the following wire from one Henry Lucas, Hotel Cecil, London: "The sultan of Zanzibar will arrive at Cambridge at 4:27 for a short visit. Could you arrange to show him buildings of interest and send carriage?" The mayor rose to the occasion, and in due course four dark complexioned gentlemen with turbans and voluminous trousers arrived at Cambridge. The mayor and corporation entertained them right royally, but to their chagrin they discovered a few hours later that the interesting orientals were simply a quartet of undergraduates who had played an immense practical joke upon the town.—London Spectator.

The Seat of Punctuation.

At the time Colonel Roosevelt was carrying on his simplified spelling movement in Washington there was a meeting of educators at Battle Creek, Mich., and they visited the great sanitariums there. They were shown through, and particular stress was laid by the guide on the success that attended operations there on enlarged and diseased colons, it being claimed that here was the seat of most disease. There was a banquet that night, and one of the visitors opened his speech like this:

"Washington, as we all know, is the seat of spelling reform; but, I take it, Battle Creek is bound to be the seat of punctuation reform, for, as we were told today, you come here with a colon and you depart with a semicolon."—Saturday Evening Post.

A Duke at Church.

There was a certain old duke who used to sit up in the left hand gallery with his duchess, believing himself to be incog. One Sunday a too officious steward, on seeing the old nobleman take a back seat, hurried up to him and said, "Will not your grace have a better seat?" "Come along, Maria!" said the old duke. "We're discovered!" And he immediately walked out with the duchess and never showed his face inside the church again.—London Tatler.

Gave It Back.

Mrs. A. (maliciously)—You were such a charming debutante, my dear, fifteen years ago. Mrs. B.—Was I? I only remember you made such a lovely chaperon for me when I came out.—Boston Transcript.

He Wondered.

Indignant Customer—I want to return this jewel box. It's not ivory, as represented. Dealer (musingly)—Now, I wonder if it can be possible that elephant had false teeth.—Cleveland Leader.

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From Our Exchanges.

Ghas. F. Walter, went to Angels last Saturday to attend a meeting of the Advisory Board of the Calaveras and Alpine Live Stock Association with Supervisor Ayers and Ranger Lewis. The meeting was called for the purpose of settling disputes regarding range lines between some of the users of the forest reserve. The parties whose cases were before the meeting were: J. C. Del Orto and L. B. Jones; David Filippini and David Matley Jr.; J. F. Tower and O. Roberts; Joe Bertatta, Louis Malaspina and T. D. Mitchell. The decision of the Board was that in all cases but Matley and Filippini the range now used by the parties be used jointly. In the case of Matley and Filippini it was decided that the boundary line of their ranges should be the top of the summit ridge, each party to range to the top of the ridge on the respective sides.—Prospect.

The young man Shaw, or Stewart, who recently made a break from the Preston School of Industry and afterward captured near Clay station, has been sent back to the Alameda authorities to be dealt with, as he was found absolutely incorrigible here, neither kindness nor punishment having any effect upon him. Of the eleven months spent here seven and one-half months were passed in confinement for serious infractions of the rules.—Echo.

Owing to the prevalence of measles among the children of lone the trustees have ordered the schools closed for the week at least. The disease appears in a mild form, and there does not appear to be much danger, still the trustees thought best to close the schools for a time in order to more effectually stamp out the malady. No serious cases have been reported so far.—Echo.

The United States lost its place as the greatest wheat producing country in the world and Russia has won that distinction. Even though last year the total yield of wheat in the United States was next to the largest in the history of American agriculture, only the crop of 1901 having exceeded it, Russia last year produced the remarkable harvest of 783,000,000 bushels, which constitutes the largest crop ever harvested by any country, and 26,000,000 bushels greater than that of the United States.—Exchange.

There is a petition being circulated to have the supervisors remove certain gates and make a public road across a piece of the McLaughlin Co. land leading from the county road in Calaveras to the county road in San Joaquin and Amador county. Removing these gates would be a great convenience to the public but would be of still greater benefit to Wallace, as there are several ranchers across the river in Amador county who would trade there more than they do if the gates were removed. This particular piece of land that the gates were on the past few years the gates have been removed and an open road made and fenced. Where the gates are now located is on the railroad land where there have been no gates, at least during the past ten years. If a spirit of give and take had been observed in this neighborhood it seems to us that this trouble could have been settled some time ago.—Prospect.

Defendant's demurrer to the indictment brought by the grand jury against supervisor Paul Morris, was sustained by Judge Nicol, Friday, and the district attorney was directed to submit the case to the same or another grand jury. The demurrer to the indictment was sustained on the third grounds stated in the demurrer, to-wit: "That more than one offense is charged in the indictment, viz.: the offense of selling goods to the county, while supervisor is charged in the same indictment with the offense of presenting a fraudulent claim against the county."—Independent.

In the rear portion of C. V. Miller's store there is a small trap door covering an opening through which refuse was thrown into the creek. The trap on last Sunday night was not fastened down, and in consequence some youth tried his hand at burglary. Entering the store through the trap door the burglar found in the office a tin cash box, which he pried open and took therefrom a purse containing about \$10 in aluminum merchandise checks—10, 25 and 50 cents. The cash register, located in the front part of the store, and containing a couple of dollars in change, was not disturbed, the thief being apparently satisfied with the well filled purse, which he presumably believed contained silver coins. Quite early the following morning a small boy appeared at the store and wanted to sell Miller a quantity of metal merchandise checks. At the same time he not knowing of his loss, declined to barter with the lad, who stated in reply to a query, that he had found them. Later other boys came in, Miller in the meantime having discovered his loss. The boys all told the same story, they had noted the bright aluminum checks in the creek bottom, and fished them out. Investigation was made and the conclusion reached that the burglar upon investigating the contents of the purse and discovering what he had, dumped the checks into the creek.—Angels Record.

If you do not know that medicine is

looked upon with distrust by the wisest doctors, there is something the matter with your head. If you take a lot of medicine every time you feel badly, you are not reasonably intelligent. If you do not know that the wisest men now believe in nature curing the ills of mankind, no doubt you are foolish in a good many other ways. When you are ill, quit eating for a day or two; give nature a chance. Don't dose yourself with stuff doctors themselves do not take. Take exercise; breathe deeply; sleep in well aired rooms; drink plenty of water; eat slowly, and not too much; be as cheerful as possible; don't be intemperate in anything, and keep away from lawyers and doctors. (Note.—Industry and good conduct will assist you in being cheerful.)

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Moving Pictures of Crime Pass from the City to the Country.

Although the agitation against presenting moving pictures of crime to the view of children has had some effect on the nickelodeons in the city, the small towns of the state are not so fortunate. Pictures discarded here are often taken through the country, where the infrequency of moving pictures shows assures immunity from interference and good patronage, provided the exhibition is not a flagrant offense against decency. Little children go to such shows, and for days afterwards they talk excitedly of the thefts and murders that were impressed upon the minds by an invention which, when properly used, is a great aid to the work of the schools.

A clever San Francisco woman thus speaks of the evil of such exhibitions: "A set of pictures showing a criminal act has the same effect as a cheap novel dealing with that class of stories. The impression created is perhaps deeper because of the realistic manner in which it is presented. Scenes of hold-ups, murders, and crimes generally, and those pictures which depict the vicious forms of life are undesirable to flaunt before the eyes and minds of children. The manufacturers are the ones responsible for the class of pictures shown more than the operators of shows."

To what lengths the manufacturers will go was made plain the other day when the French government seized films reproducing the official guillotining of the murderer of a child. As France makes most of the moving pictures used by the nickelodeons of the United States that seizure prevented a ghastly addition to the supply of "shockers."

Among other pictures that should be suppressed are those in which the domestic virtues are derided. Otherwise the moral teachings of the home and the schools will to a great extent be offset by the nickelodeons. The surest way to bring about the necessary reform is for parents, by withdrawing the patronage of their families, to make offensive moving picture shows unprofitable.—Ex.

Profiting by Others.

"Some persons have the knack of deriving a comfortable living from the energy of others, while they dodge hard work themselves. By this I do not mean that they practice fraud, but simply that they know how to use their wits legitimately," said a well-known San Francisco lawyer, who is a keen observer.

"I saw a practical illustration of this on the water front several days ago," he continued. "Two negro boys were selling peanuts, each having charge of a large basket. One was a bundle of energy and kept up an endless 'spiel' as he rushed hither and thither in quest of customers."

"'Here you go, here!' he would shout. 'Red hot peanuts, fi' cents a bag. On'y fi' cents a bag, here! Red hot peanuts! Here you go, here!'

The other chap, comfortably ensconced on a box, would wait until the first one had to pause to catch his breath, when he would chip in with a monotonous singsong:

"'Heah too, heah, too!'"—San Francisco "Call."

You'll feel better after taking DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the safe, sure, pleasant, gentle little liver pills. If you would be sure of good results insist on DeWitt's Carbolic Witch Hazel Salve, the original. It is good for big cuts or little ones, small scratches or bruises or big ones, but is especially good for piles! Sold by Rulmer's City Pharmacy.

Census Enumerators' Rates of Pay.

Washington, January 22, 1910.

The varying wage scales in different parts of the country and the differences in the nature and extent of the local difficulties confronting the enumerators in the larger geographical divisions of the United States have influenced and guided United States census director Durand in the adoption of a classification of enumerators' rates of compensation, within the limits prescribed by the United States census law enacted by congress.

The different classes of rates will be so applied that in general the average enumerator will earn substantially the same actual amount in one district as in another, even though the population may be much sparser in one than in the other, with other conditions also different. Regard is paid to the fact that prevailing wages and salaries are higher in some parts of the country than in others, but, aside from this, the director's aim is to adjust the rates so as to make the earnings of enumerators substantially uniform. When the per capita rates would not give sufficient pay, the per diem rates are prescribed. The rates in general will be so adjusted as to give a slightly higher average amount to the enumerators than they received in 1900.

Per diem rates of pay will be paid to the census enumerators in the sparsely settled rural districts of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

The rate will range from \$5 to \$6 per day for the enumeration of the rural areas outside of cities and towns. Six dollars is the highest rate authorized by law.

The directors realizes that in many districts of the far west it will be impossible to secure competent men to act as enumerators at a rate of compensation less than that being paid for ordinary classes of work in the same area. Were enumerators in such districts paid only on the per capita basis, their compensation would be unreasonably low.

The enumerators in the thinly inhabited country sections of North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas also will be compensated on a per diem basis. Certain difficult or sparsely settled enumeration districts in other states will be included among those to which the per diem rates will apply, as the conditions of the enumerators will be such that an enumerator could not make fair earnings at any of the per capita rates established.

This announcement was made by census director Durand to-day, in order to counteract the deterrent effect upon applications for enumerators' places in the far west and southwest states of the widely circulated and erroneous statement that per capita rates of pay were to be given in the sparsely populated regions named.

The Classification of Rates.

In this connection the director has issued to the census supervisors a detailed statement of the classification of rates adopted for the compensation of enumerators in the thirteenth census, commencing April 15 next.

There are three general rates—the per capita, the mixed, and the per diem.

The first and second general rates have five subdivisions each.

The per diem rates range from \$3 to \$5.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, and \$6, and are to be paid for a day of eight hours' work.

A Wild Blizzard Raging

brings danger, suffering—often death to thousands, who take colds, coughs and lagrippe, that terror of winter and spring. Its danger signals are "stuffed up," nostrils, lower part of nose sore, chills and fever, pain in back of head, and a throat gripping cough. When grip attacks, as you value your life, don't delay getting Dr. King's New Discovery. "One bottle cured me," writes A. L. Dunn, of Pine Valley, Miss., "after being laid up three weeks with grip." For sore lungs, hemorrhages coughs, colds, whooping cough, bronchitis, asthma, its supreme. 50c. \$1.00. Guaranteed by Spagnoli Drug Store.

The New Democratic Paper.

Senator Caminetti, at the meeting of democrats held in San Francisco last week, presented a report in behalf of the press committee in regard to steps taken for the organization of the democratic press company and the plans for the publication in San Francisco of a Democratic newspaper to be known as the San Francisco Sun. He stated that machinery had been ordered, that a location had been secured and that although the time of beginning publication had been postponed for a short time, the paper would make its appearance as soon as possible. He also said that plans had been made for keeping a special representative at Sacramento and furnishing a special news service to all the democratic papers in the interior of the state.—Sonora Independent.

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The Cowboy And the Bishop.

Have you ever heard the story of a certain missionary bishop in the far west and the cowboy? Well, it is by no means new, but so good it will bear repeating. The bishop preached on Sunday, to a scattered handful of frontier settlers, a powerful sermon on the prodigal son. Away in the back of the hall he saw a cowboy listening with rapt attention to the words that fell from his lips, so when the services were over and he went down to speak to the various members of his congregation, as his custom was, he sought out the cowboy and, as he grasped him by the hand, he said "My son, I noticed that you were interested in the sermon. I hope you understand the great lesson of forgiveness taught us by the parable. Now, if you have any erring sons won't you treat them in the same christian spirit?"

The cowboy looked puzzled for a minute, then his eyes twinkled. "Wal," he drawled, "it's this-a-way: If I'd a been the man in the story, I'd a raised the calf and thrashed the boy."

A good many people in this world besides the prodigal son have needed correction badly enough; but the trouble is, we do not always get all we deserve, even the best of us; and as for the worst—well, it is mighty lucky for them that they get let off as easy as they do. Now, there is no meaner character on earth than a thief. A man who takes what doesn't belong to him is justly despised by all decent people. Now isn't the substitutor such a man? Doesn't he make his living by stealing the reputation of well-known articles for his own inferior goods?

No sooner has a manufacturer built up a big reputation by extensive advertising and by the constant high quality of his goods, than the substitutor stands ready to take advantage of his success. Perhaps the entire expense of the advertised article is due to the fine quality and pureness of the materials of which it is composed. In this case the substitutor makes something that has about the same appearance as the original. The substitute is nearly always compounded of adulterated ingredients. If it is a soap, a lotion, cold cream or anything like that, it is positively dangerous, and you ought not touch it at any price, for a substance that is used on the skin should be absolutely pure, or it will bring a host of distressing ailments in its train.

Ask for the genuine advertised article, and make sure that you get it.

Chrysanthemums.

Chrysanthemums stand fourth in commercial importance among flowers. Only the rose, the violet and the carnation surpass them, and that chiefly because the chrysanthemum season is so short, while the others can be had from the florist nearly the whole year round. Greece gave us the name. Chrysanthemum means "golden flower." But the name was invented long before the big butter yellow globes were known in the occident. It referred to the prevailing gold in the small varieties that were known. Strangely enough, the first chrysanthemum brought into Europe was not gold, but purple. It was a small flower about two inches across, shaped like an aster. Somebody took it to Europe from China in 1790—and, presto, the modern history of chrysanthemums was begun.—Argonaut.

Why He Could Beat McGregor.

Alexander Ure, the lord advocate of Scotland, is a keen golfer, and he has a good store of golfing tales. These he is always ready to relate, even if they tell against himself.

Playing on a certain course in Scotland, he remarked incidentally to his caddie: "By the way, I played a round with Todd McGregor the last time I was here. Grand player, McGregor!"

"Aye," said the caddie, "but ye could bate McGregor the noo."

"Do you think so?" exclaimed the gratified lord advocate, being well aware of McGregor's prowess.

"Aye," drawled the caddie. "McGregor's deid."—Golfing.

How Customs Vary.

She—In some parts of Australia when a man marries each of the bride's relatives strikes him with a stick by way of welcome into the family. He—Yes, and in many parts of America when a man marries each of the bride's relatives strikes him with a loan by way of welcoming him into the family.—New York Times.

The Glad Hand.

"What do you mean by the glad hand?"

"Anything," answered Mr. Bloochips, "that will beat three of a kind."—Washington Star.



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DEFENDER.

Jan. 22.—Ralph McKenzie and Dan Nichols went to Tiger saw mill to shovel snow from the buildings. Walen Berg had more of it than he could handle.

Charles Glenn went to Jackson for a few days this week.

Some of the buildings at Whitmore's old saw mill went down during the late storm.

Albert Kimball, Ralph McKenzie and Dan Nichols went up to Whitmore's upper mill to shovel snow from the roofs.

Mrs J. P. Harker has a letter from Mrs Frank Thompson from Arizona, and she says they like the place and are doing well.

Luey Smith has gone to Lodi to take care of her sister. Mrs Eric Emslie, who has the smallpox.

W. H. Nichols and son Lee were visitors at Jackson.

Mrs Stirnman is visiting her daughter, Mrs T. C. McKenzie.

I hear that Lew Werley is going to Yolo county the first of April.

Byra Porter was a visitor at Mrs L. M. McKenzie last week.

Miss Bell Dowling is the guest of Mrs Albert Kimball.

The hills as far as you can see are robed in a mantle of white.

Mr King from Franklin, Sacramento county, is visiting his cousin, W. H. Glenn at Defender.

Lee and Dan Nichols were the guests of their sister, Mrs H. H. Harker Sunday. Sunny South.

OLETA.

An epidemic has been raging in and around these parts, starting as the gripe and ending in various forms as pneumonia—five resembling typhoid.

The disease makes the attack, it does so attacking the diseased or weakened organs of the human system. Lew Smith's whole family has suffered from its effects for the last 3 or 4 weeks, Dr. Lynch of Amador attending them. We are pleased to say that his family is now convalescent, and without some unforeseen setback, will be on their feet and themselves again. Carl Gaffinet was down with what had some effects of pneumonia, but he too has recovered sufficiently to be up and around. Ray Bell was also sick for 5 days, but has recovered. Mrs O'Neil is quite sick and is nedefast at this writing. There are a few Shenandoah people have had the mumps, chickenpox and measles. Hope that it won't spread very much, as but few cases have come to our hearing up to this time.

John McGee, a pioneer died at his residence of apoplexy near this place on Sunday evening, and was buried here on Tuesday last. He was born in Ireland in 1830. In 51 he came to California and stayed a year or two, then he went back east and stayed for a year or two there and returned to California to Humboldt, where he remained for a year, then he returned to this vicinity, where he has since resided up to his death. He leaves a brother William, who is still a resident here, also a sister, Mrs O'Neil. A son and daughter and three grandchildren survive him. He was a man modest in demeanor, and was a good citizen, and no one as far as I know spoke any evil of what we used to call him familiarly and in friendship, old John McGee.

Giddy Dick.

PLYMOUTH.

Jan. 27.—B. Levaggi went to San Francisco on Sunday last.

H. E. Potter made a business trip to the copper mine near Latrobe, on Sunday last.

Mrs Will Nianis, who has been visiting relatives in Stockton, returned to her home here on Thursday last.

Mrs Mary Richardson, now of Elk Grove, but formerly of this place, was a visitor in town a few days last week, but has now returned to her home.

Miss Mary Davis of Shenandoah valley, had the misfortune to sprain her right arm some time ago, which was neglected, as it didn't seem very serious, but it became so bad she had to come to town to remain for several days. She is getting along very nicely under the care of Dr. W. A. Norman, and has now returned to her home, but she will be unable to do any work for some time.

Wallace Potter and Jabez Ninnis made

a flying trip to the Union mine on Sunday last.

Mrs Hazel Chichizola of Amador, who went to the city some time ago for medical advice, has returned, and is the guest of her mother, Mrs L. G. Griffith.

Little Freddie Boucher has the measles.

Mrs A. B. Summers was a passenger on the outgoing stage one day last week, en-route for Oak Park to visit her daughter, Mrs Robinson.

Mr and Mrs Stephen Davis returned to their home in Sacramento, after a visit of several days with relatives here. Moise Roos and Trevor Weston went to Drytown on Wednesday last to attend the Masonic meeting there.

Mrs Margaret Sevey has gone to Jackson, where she has employment.

Mrs Claud Wright visited relatives in Lodi one day last week.

Clara Steiner has taken a vacation. She intends being away a month. She will visit at San Jose, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz and San Mateo before returning home.

Mrs Alice Cooper has gone to Kennett to join her husband, who has employment there. She intends residing there for the future. Wild Rose.

AMADOR.

Jan. 26.—Everyone is looking forward to a grand time at the masquerade ball to be given on the 5th of February.

Mrs James Chichizola has returned from San Francisco, where she has been visiting for a couple of weeks.

Miss Idele Whitehead, who has been spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs T. Whitehead, returned to her duties as teacher at Richmond Sunday.

Mr Moffie, sr., one of the directors of the California Consolidated Mining Company, left Friday morning for the east for a couple of months on business.

Mrs J. Martell, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs Chappo, for some time, returned to her home in Angels camp Saturday.

Miss Mae Gorton left Friday for Plymouth, where she will visit with friends and relatives for a few weeks.

They are making many improvements around the hoist and saw-mill of the California Consolidated Mining Company, which is making a very good showing under the new management of John Ross.

Mrs J. Maroli, who has been working for Mr Americh, left Sunday morning for Oakland and San Francisco, where she will visit for a few weeks.

There were several mining men out from the east looking after their interests at the California Consolidated Min. Co. last week. Primrose.

OLETA.

Jan. 25.—We are having some very cold weather here at present. It seems that we surely are having our share of cold, rain, and wind.

Main McGee has just returned from a trip to Angels Camp, where he went with his sister for a few days.

Claud Wilson went to Jackson yesterday.

Lewis Smith is very sick at present. They are talking some of taking him to the sanitarium at Sutter Creek.

Frauk Clark has just returned from his trip to the coast, where he went about three weeks ago.

Mrs Maggie O'Neil is very sick at present, being confined to her bed most of the time.

B. McGee has not entirely recovered from his attack of la gripe, although he is a great deal better.

Mrs Mettler is a great deal better since she came home from the sanitarium.

Peter Germolis dosen,t seem to be improving very much, as he is very low. Pansy.

IONE

Jan. 27.—Jackson valley has escaped the measles so far.

The Ione public school has been closed for the last ten days, owing to the prevalence of measles among the children.

Robert Phillips met with a painful accident last Saturday while leading a wild colt near the Kidd ranch in Jackson valley. The horse he was riding stepped in a mud hole and fell on his right leg, dragging him some distance. Joe Kidd took him to Ione, where Dr. Adams attended his injuries and pronounced the muscles to be badly bruised, but no bones broken.

Mrs A. C. Miner and two small daughters, went to Stockton Friday, returning Sunday.

Miss Jessie McCall has resigned as teacher in the Jackson valley school, and has accepted a position of teaching in the Lodi school. The trustees have secured Ethel Prouty of Ione, as substitute.

John Villiburge and family have recently moved into the brick house on the Scully ranch in Jackson valley, which has been unoccupied for several years.

Mrs Cook and two children are here from Volcano visiting, Mrs E. Bryant.

G. L. Barber, the haypress man, came up from New Hope last week, and took a span of young draft horses back with him, which he is going to break for W. S. Alford.

Crops are not growing much, owing to the unusual cold weather. The insect

pest that has been bothering the pasture lands the last two years, are not nearly so bad in this section, although in places they are doing some damage, but on the stock ranges near Clements, they are doing considerable damage. It was thought that the recent cold weather would kill them, but since it has turned warm they seem to be worse.

Neil Hamm, an old resident of Ione, and who has been residing near Stockton, has rented the Seaman ranch south of Buena Vista, and has moved his family there. Juliet.

SUTTER CREEK

Jan 27—John Ross returned Tuesday evening from a short trip to the bay city.

Joseph Dower, left Sunday morning, to spend a week or so in San Francisco, with his daughter, Mrs Ed Fagau and family.

Miss Agnes Hodges is visiting with friends in Jackson this week.

Mr Knight left for San Francisco, a few days ago, to attend to business interests.

Miss Mary Prosser, is over from Jackson, visiting her aunt, Mrs Ed Jones.

Miss Adams, the pleasing little nurse, returned to her duties at the Goodman sanitarium Tuesday evening, after spending a months vacation at her home in Stockton.

Frank Risedorph took a trip to Galt Monday, returning again Tuesday evening.

Mrs John Golden returned to her home in Los Angeles Wednesday, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs V. W. Norton and other relatives here.

Mrs T. H. Simmons returned Tuesday evening from San Francisco, where she has been visiting since the holidays with her daughter, Mrs F. W. Morrish and family.

A Problem in Mathematics.

The town of Sturgis, in Mississippi, is the only round square town in existence. By legal enactment the circle has been squared, and the mathematician may now proceed to calculate the area of a square circle. In the laws of Mississippi for the year 1886, on page 682, is found the following:

"An act to incorporate the town of Sturgis, in Oktibbeha county, Mississippi.

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the legislature of the state of Mississippi that the town of Sturgis, in the county of Oktibbeha, is hereby incorporated and that the corporate limits of said town shall be as follows: Beginning at the quarter stake in front of Caleb Hannah's residence and running 600 yards in every direction, making said corporate limits 1,200 yards square."

Thus the circle is squared by the solemn declaration of the law.—Youth's Companion.

Turks and Animals.

In the matter of kindness to animals it is said that the Turk cannot be surpassed. Thus at Stamboul the wandering dogs are treated with great gentleness, and when puppies come into the world they are lodged with their mother at the side of the street in improvised kennels made out of old boxes lined with straw and bits of carpet. And frequently when a young Turk happens to be flush of money he goes to the nearest baker's shop and buys a quantity of bread, which he distributes among the dogs of the quarter, who testify their gratitude by jumping up at him with muddy paws and sniffling muzzles.

His Opening.

Outcake—What be your son Jake a-goin' ter dew now that he bez left college?

Heyrix—I dunno yit. He's talkin' some of bein' a doctor, but I've heern tell ez beov that he a heap uv money in bankruptcy, so mebbey he'll try that for a spell.—Chicago News.

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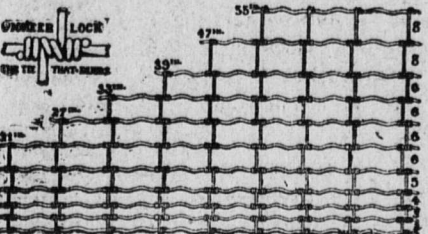
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NOTICE

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT

Notice is hereby given, that Giovanni Rossi, whose residence and post office address is Volcano, county of Amador, state of California has this day filed his application for a patent for the Kate Grey" placer mining claim, with surface ground, situated in the Volcano mining district, county of Amador, state of California, and described with reference to the public land surveys as follows, to wit: Lot 1, of the S. E. ¼ of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 14, and the lot 1 of the N. E. ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of Sec. 23, T. 7 N., R. 12 E., M. D. B. & M.

The amended location notice of this mine is recorded in the office of the county recorder of Amador county, in book "8" of Mining claims, page— The said mining claim is bounded as follows:

On the north by the Parker Quartz Vein or lode, patented; on the south by the Downs Quartz mine, lot 4367; on the east by land of R. C. Downs; on the west by mine locations.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG,

Register.

Date of first publication, December 3, 1909.

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JACKSON, CAL. JANUARY 28, 1910

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL

This table gives the highest and lowest temperature in Jackson for each day, together with the rainfall, as recorded by self-registering instruments kept at the Ledger office.

Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall	Date.	Temp L. H.	Rainfall
Jan. 1, 1910	25 38 1.09		17	30 58	
2	27 41 0.76		18	30 58	
3	27 43		19	32 58	
4	29 49		20	34 58	
5	29 47		21	34 54	
6	30 54		22	40 60 0.15	
7	26 44		23	40 58 0.28	
8	25 49		24	38 57	
9	34 50 0.41		25	34 56 0.74	
10	35 54		26	33 57	
11	34 58		27	32 61	
12	30 58		28	34	
13	28 58		29	34	
14	34 58		30	34	
15	31 42 1.26		31		
16	37 59 0.87				

Total rainfall for season to date 16.99 inches
To corresponding period last season 20.00 "

LOCAL NEWS

J. F. Wilson, Dentist, Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Phone—Office, black 444; residence, Black 391; Jackson.

W. J. Nettle, foreman of the Argonaut, left Sunday morning for Byron Springs, to take a course of treatment of the mineral baths of that noted health resort. The trip is more as a precautionary measure, and for recreation than anything else. The underground workings of the mine are in excellent shape, and he took advantage of the opportunity thus afforded of taking a vacation. He expects to be gone a week or ten days.

Carleton Bartlett, administrator of the estate of S. W. Bright, came up from Berkeley Saturday, on business pertaining to the estate. The 19th of January was the day for receiving bids for the real estate, consisting of the Bright ranch and the Bright quartz mine.

FOR SALE—360 acres about 5 miles northeast of Volcano, with all ranch implements and stock. Plenty of free water. Apply on the premises or address D. Giannini, Volcano. Ja 21—m. 1

About fifty members of Rathbone lodge, K. of P., accompanied by the Jackson band, went to Lone Monday evening to attend the installation exercises of the local lodge of Lone. The delegation hired a special train over the Amador Central, the visitors filling two cars. They report royally welcomed by the lone brothers. They had a most enjoyable time, including a number of interesting addresses, and a banquet. They got back about 3 o'clock Tuesday morning.

About three inches of snow fell in the neighborhood of Pine Grove Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Driscoll and her daughter Nellie have returned from a short visit to San Francisco.

Miss Mamie Troyan left for her home in San Francisco Wednesday, after a pleasant visit with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Lillie Jones and daughter Donna were over from Mokelumne Hill Saturday visiting relatives here. They returned home Tuesday.

There was 17 inches of snow at Glenn's station in the early part of the week. At Bear river it is reported there is four feet of the white mantle, frozen solid.

John Smallfield has purchased a dwelling house on the Webb-Mason tract, owned by the Ratto estate, and will move therein shortly. Charles Glenn intends to move into the dwelling on Court street now occupied by Smallfield as soon as the latter vacates.

Willis Hoss was down from Antelope district Wednesday. He reports from 18 inches to two feet of snow in his vicinity. He came down for a species of snowshoes which he expected from Tacoma. They will greatly facilitate traveling over the snow when hunting and trapping, being better than the ordinary snowshoes.

Millers Best Flour is '97 per cent flour—that's why it's the best.

Willie Lee and Sadie Leon were passengers on the outgoing stage Wednesday morning. This is the young couple, who after making preparations to get married were refused a license some time ago under the law which prohibits the intermarriage of Mongolians and whites. Lee is of Chinese parents, although born in Amador county, and therefore an American by birth. His intended is of mixed blood, but not of Asiatic descent. It is reported that the pair are bent on matrimony in their present trip, and will try to get around the law in some way.

F. J. Dietrich of Sacramento, past grand officer of the Royal Arch, arrived in Jackson yesterday for the purpose of looking after the interests of the organization in this section. The object of the order is to elevate the saloon business and see that the members conduct their places in accordance with the law, as well as to protect the members in the legitimate conduct of their business.

George Sontag, one of the noted outlaws of the Evan-Sontag band of outlaws that terrorized the people of Tulare county some twelve years ago, and who has been pardoned after serving in state prison on a life sentence, arrived in Jackson Thursday. He is traveling through the country with a stereopticon exhibition of the scenes of his adventures and experience with the bandit outfit. Of course the object of the address and pictures is to show that outcome of such deeds of outlawry as the Evans-Sontag indulged in is suffering, physical and mental, which far outweigh the notoriety and excitement incident thereto. He gave two exhibitions in Jackson.

W. M. Penry Sr., is making the trip to Lone with the members of K. of P. lodge last Saturday, managed to slip in getting into the vehicle, and struck his arm in such a manner as to bruise and strain it, so that he is carrying the injured member in a sling since the accident.

Arthur Hambric is fixing up the Comstock saloon, repairing roof of porch and otherwise making necessary changes, preparatory to its being opened again as a saloon by Thomas Lemm after the first of next month. It has been closed for several months.

An expert came up from the city the first of the week, and on Tuesday went over the Bright quartz mine, taking samples from different places conceivable, with the object of reporting to parties who have some idea of investing in the property.

L. Katz, who has been up to Aqueduct on a visit to a quartz claim, in which he and John Strohm are the principal owners, left for San Francisco this morning. He reports the mine looking fine, the ledge being 14 feet wide. They are still pushing the tunnel ahead, as it is believed the main ore body is further on. The gold is very fine and floury in character. Operations are somewhat impeded on account of the swelling nature of the ground incident to the heavy rains.

The partnership of Ranchini & Bianchi in the saloon business in the premises of Hank Tallon near the north Main street bridge, has been dissolved by the disappearance of Bianchi, who has left for parts unknown. The other partner concluded to quit. It is reported that a party from Angels is negotiating for the leasing of the premises for the purpose of opening a store.

The clothes line of Mrs. Lepava on the Hamilton tract was stripped of its freight of clothing the other night, adding another chapter to the long list of petty robberies of this kind that have been perpetrated in Jackson during the past few months. The clothes line thief seems to enjoy a charmed life.

George Lucot has purchased the dwelling house in which he is living from F. W. Parker, also the large lot adjoining.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

Death of Mrs Hartman

A message was received in Jackson Tuesday that Mrs. Mary Hartman died in San Jose on Monday evening last of typhoid fever. She had been sick about three weeks. Deceased was a resident of Jackson for many years. After the death of her husband in this city about fourteen years ago, she left the county, and for several years past has conducted a private sanitarium at San Jose, where she succeeded in building up an institution which has gained quite a reputation and a large patronage. She was the daughter of Cornelius O'Neil, and for several months the father has made his home with her in San Jose. Besides her father she leaves three brothers—B. C. O'Neil of Jackson, William O'Neil, and Con O'Neil. The remains were brought to Jackson last evening, and the funeral will be held to-morrow, interment in the Catholic cemetery, by the side of her deceased husband. She was 50 years of age and a native of California.

Examination For Census Enumerators.

F. A. Duden has received a communication from L. L. Dennett, the census supervisor of this district, to the effect that arrangements have been made for the examination of applicants for census enumerators to be held before the postmasters of the country district: and that he has been appointed to act in that capacity for Jackson and this township. Examination will take place February 5, at 1 p. m. In the supervisors' room in the hall of records. No person can take the examination unless he has made application to the census supervisor at Modesto for the position, and received a card from that official entitling him to take the examination.

Have you a weak throat? If so you cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another and the last is always the harder to cure. If you will take Chamberlain's cough remedy at the outset you will be saved much trouble. Sold by all dealers.

We notice by the Colusa Sun that Dorris Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Simmons formerly of Amador City, in which town the young lady was born, captured one of the prizes offered by the Sun for composition in the good roads contest started by that journal. She won the third choice for the seventh and eighth years of the grammar school, at Williams, Colusa county, where the parents are now living. The Sun says: "This young lady is known for her prompt and regular attention to her studies."

Nightwatchman F. W. Parker, who has been incapacitated for the past five weeks from attending to his official duties on account of sickness, is able to be around again, and expects to resume his post next month.

Strayed or Stolen

From the Holsinger ranch near Forest Home, one sorrel gelding three years old, weight about eight hundred, branded H on left hip. Very small white spot in forehead. Liberal reward will be paid for any information as to his whereabouts.

D. F. GRAY,
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BORN

GLENN.—In Jackson, January 25, 1910, to the wife of Charles Glenn, a son.

MARRIED.

JOHNSON-MYERS.—In Jackson, January 22, 1910, by Rev. T. H. Nicholas, Charles B. Johnson to Addie B. Myers, both of Jackson.

CUNEO-DONDERO.—In Jackson, January 19, 1910, by Rev. Wm. Laffan, Albert Cuneo to Miss Della C. Dondero, both of Jackson.

TYLER-ARIAS.—In Sutter Creek, January 18, 1910, by Rev. D. Taverna, Charles L. Tyler to Angelina Arias, both of Sutter Creek.

POGGI-FOPPIANO.—In Jackson, January 22, 1910, by Rev. J. J. Gleeson, Luigi B. Poggi to Miss Beneditta Foppiano, both of Jackson.

DIED

HARTMAN.—In San Jose, January 24, 1910, Mrs. Mary Hartman, a native of California, aged 50 years.

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A southerner noted for the liberality of his tips stopped at a Baltimore hotel where negro porters predominated. His name was speedily known to every member of the serving fraternity and his every wish anticipated. Soon after his arrival he sent his card to a friend who made his home in the hotel, but whose temperament happened to be quite the opposite of that of his open handed caller—retiring, not given to "tipping" or any other form of sociability and who therefore lived almost unknown to those about him.

The old dandy who received the card studied it for a full minute.

"Scuse me, colonel," he said, "but I don't b'leeve nobody by dat name come here dis mawning."

"This morning?" returned the other. "Of course not! Mr. Blank has lived here for monts. You know my name well enough, and I haven't been here a day. Do you mean to say you can't remember a man who has made his home here since some time last winter?"

"Scuse me, colonel, sah," began the old man deferentially, "but you must know, sah"—as if uttering the subtlest compliment—"dat dere's gemmans what can make demsels more notorious in one day, sah, dan odder gemmans does in a year, sah!"—Youth's Companion.

THE SETTING SUN.

When Vulcan Sailed It Round the Ocean So It Could Rise Again.

The ancients had some queer theories whereby they sought to explain the rising and setting of the sun. They thought the earth to be flat and were greatly puzzled to know how the same sun which plunged into the ocean at a fabulous distance in the west could reappear the next morning at an equally great distance in the east. A number of remarkable theories were advanced, and every one of them was wrong.

Mythologists of old asserted that after the sun had dipped in the western ocean at sunset (the Iberians and other ancient nations actually imagined that they could hear the hissing of the waters when the glowing globe was plunged therein) he was seized by Vulcan and placed in a golden goblet. This strange craft, with its astonishing cargo, navigated the ocean by a northerly course so as to reach the east again in time for sunrise the following morning.

Among the more sober physicists of old, as related by Aristotle, it was believed that in some manner the sun was conveyed by night across the northern regions and that darkness was due to mountains which screened off the sunbeams during the voyage.

Anticipation.

Lieutenant Shackleton, tells how when in the antarctic wastes he and his companions sustained their spirits and their bodies as well when supplies had to be cut down to a minimum by dwelling upon the glorious eating they would have on returning to headquarters. The value of such mental sustenance has long been recognized by up to date commanders. There was the German officer in the war of 1870 who sustained the flagging spirits and weary legs of his men by shouting: "There is a brewery inside that town! Let us get there before anybody else!" History relates that the men did get there with remarkable speed. Equally shrewd was that Japanese commander in the Manchurian war who, seeing his men exhausted with thirst and knowing full well the wonderful properties of pickled plums, cried out, "Two miles from here there is a forest of plums." The anticipated plums went far to relieve their parched mouths.

What West Point Does For Its Cadets.

What West Point does for its cadets is precisely this: It takes its youth at the critical period of growth; it isolates them completely for nearly four years from the vicious influences that corrupt young manhood and from the atmosphere of commercialism; it provides absorbing employment for both mental and physical activities; it surrounds them with exacting responsibilities, high standards and exalted traditions of honor and integrity, and it demands a rigid accountability for every moment of their time and for every voluntary action. It offers them the inducements of an honorable career and a sufficient competence as a reward of success, and it has imperative authority for the enforcement of its conditions and restraints.—Colonel Charles W. Larned in National Magazine.

Silver Service.

"Can I get the silver service for the fire department?" inquired a young man at the free library.

"The what?" asked the girl at the desk.

"The silver service for the fire department—the questions they ask you when you take the silver service examinations, you know."—Newark News.

Knew What She Was Doing.

Pastor—I was sorry for your wife during the sermon this morning, doctor. She had such a dreadful fit of roughing that the eyes of the whole congregation were fixed upon her.

Doctor—Don't you be unduly alarmed. She was wearing her new hat for the first time.

His Stroke of State.

She—I'll wager you have told lots of other girls that you loved them. He—Well, if such has been my misguided career it is now in your hands to put a stop to it.

Without foresight judgment fails by its own weight.—Horace.

SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. F. V. WOOD, JUDGE

Yager vs. Stevens—Case set for trial January 31.

Estate of Catherine Phillips—Geo. H. Dunlap appointed special administrator.

Estate of Alexander Orr—Final account settled as rendered, decree of distribution granted to Margaret Orr, administrator discharged. Amount received \$3670; expenses, \$466.55, claim for administrator's fees waived.

Estate of Julia Wildman—Final account approved as rendered, decree of distribution granted, Received \$1000, disbursed \$1000.

Estate of Ann Trelease—Order made settling final account as rendered. No property received, no claims filed.

Estate of Phoebe Rickett—Final account allowed, and administrator discharged.

Estate of John G. Vallmer—Final account settled, decree of distribution granted. Cash received, \$500, amount paid \$325.10, residue \$174.90, distribution to Fred Werner.

Estate of Frank A. Richardson—Final account of special administrator allowed. Sale of personal property confirmed.

Estate of Sarah A. Serine—Continued until January 29.

Estate of John T. Kelly—Proof of posting made; order of distribution made.

Spring vs. Murphy—Demurrer submitted without argument.

McGee vs. California Con. Mines Co.—On motion of plaintiff demurrer is set aside.

Examination of Louis Maroni on a charge of Insanity—Order made committing defendant to Stockton State Hospital.

Edward Van Vranken vs. Jameson & Burke—On trial before a jury.

New Cases

Estate of Henry C. Kientz—Amelia Kientz petitions for letters of administration. Deceased died on the 15th of August, 1901, leaving property consisting of an undivided one-half interest in south half of northeast quarter of section 6 township 4 range 10, valued at \$300. The next of kin are petitioner aged 49, four sons, Henry C. Kientz, 28, residing in Stockton; Edward B. Kientz, 25, living at Niles, Alameda county, Geo. W. Kientz, 25, living in Stockton, and Walter Kientz, 18, living in Sacramento; and three daughters, Elsie Moore, 22, of Crows Landing; Edna M. Kientz, 16, and Ida A. Kientz, 10, both living in Stockton.

Young Jackson Couple Wedded.

Saturday evening Charles B. Johnson and Miss Addie B. Myers, both of Stony creek, after quietly securing the necessary matrimonial permit from the county clerk, proceeded to the M. E. parsonage, and were there united in wedlock by the Rev. T. H. Nicholas. The affair was done so quietly and swiftly that the most intimate acquaintances knew nothing about it until some time after the event. The same evening the couple attended the joint installation of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges, of which orders the contracting parties are respectively members. The following morning the happy pair took the train at Marell on a trip to the city, expecting to return in a couple of weeks.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Myers of Stony creek, and a young lady of charming personality. The groom has been a resident of the county for a number of years, being the owner of the old Fenk ranch in the vicinity of Stony creek. The many friends of the contracting parties wish them a prosperous and protracted voyage over the matrimonial sea.

City Trustees.

At an adjourned meeting of the board of city trustees held Monday last, the following business was transacted in the absence of trustees Penry and Leam.

Bid of the Humboldt Lumber Company was read, agreeing to furnish the bill of lumber as per advertisement for proposals and in accordance with specifications for the sum of \$736.50, f. o. b., at Martell.

This was the only bid received, and on motion the same was rejected, and the clerk was instructed to readvertise for bids, said bids to be opened upon February 14 at 8 p. m.

Ordinances No. 55 and 56, relating to road poll tax and dog tax, were adopted by unanimous vote.

Adjourned until February 3.

The rainfall Sunday and Monday last measured one inch, bringing the total for the season up to 16.99 inches.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.

Deeds—Exequiel Meranda—40 acres in 28-8-11, \$100.

D. E. Madden to C. E. Richards, lot 7 block 16, Sutter Creek, \$20.

Jane Gooden to V. W. Norton, lot 6 in Dennis Addition, Sutter Creek, \$10.

John H. Zumalt et ux to Charles A. Ludekens, lot 4 block 2, Pine Grove, \$10.

Thomas Boyson to Louie Foppiano, an undivided one-half interest in Bona Fortuna mill site in 25-7-10, for a valuable consideration.

Louis Foppiano to Thomas Boyson, an undivided one-half interest in Bona Esperanza quartz claims in 25-7-10, for a valuable consideration.

W. F. Detert et al to San Francisco and Fresno Land Company, 5 acres in 2-7-10, \$10.

Re-conveyance.—Bank of Amador county to Theo Crocker.

Decrees—Decree filed in the estate of Alexander Orr, deceased.

Decree filed in the estate of William Trelease.

Patent.—U. S. to Exequiel Meranda, 40 acres in 28-8-11, as agricultural land.

Mortgage W. L. Rose to C. A. McKenney, receiver, an undivided one-half interest in 40 acres in 20-7-9, \$366, payable on demand. Note made January 20, 1910.

Satisfaction of Mortgage—Armstrong to Parker.

Lott to Clark.

Proofs of Labor—J. N. Hubbard on Lost Crevise placer claim, Robinson district.

W. D. Smith on W. D. Smith placer claim, Volcano district.

Joseph Garibaldi on Dusty Gold placer claim, Volcano district.

Joseph Garibaldi on Gold Dust placer claim, Volcano district.

W. H. Cranmer on Summit quartz claim, Volcano district.

Elmer M. Evans on Telegraph Hill gravel claim, Volcano district.

Eddie Belderain on Stemwinder quartz claim, Volcano district.

William Hanley on Nellie May claim, Clinton district.

T. J. Beauchemin on Riverside quartz claim, Jackson district.

Water Location—Charles Lorentz locates a spring in Grapevine ravine near the Cosumnes Bar Ditch.

Certificate of Redemption—Estate of James H. Holman, lot 8 block 10, Plymouth taxes of 1890, 1891, 1895, 1900, 1901 and 1904. \$1308 88.

Locations—R. S. Rainsford locates the Astec quartz claim, Jackson district.

J. W. Simpson locates the Gypsy Maid quartz claim, Volcano district.

Joseph Garibaldi locates the Red Mountain placer claim in 26-7-12.

M. F. Cook locates 40 acres of placer ground near Lancha Plana known as the Lancha Plana Consolidated.

Attachment—C. H. McKenney as receiver, vs. E. A. Tibbits. Property affected, part of lot 36 block 22, Sutter Creek; demand, \$41.90.

THE NICHOLS' CASE

Defendant Found Not Guilty

The trial of J. D. Nichols, charged with rape upon Pearl Hamm, aged 14, was finished in the superior court early Saturday morning, and resulted in a verdict of acquittal. The case terminated much sooner than was anticipated. The testimony of the defendant himself, in which he denied all the material allegations of the complaint, closed the evidence. Friday afternoon A. Caminetti commenced arguing the case from the standpoint of the prosecution. Saturday morning, after the opening argument was concluded, McGee, the defendant's attorney, stated that he submitted the matter without argument. This move of the defense shut off further argument on the part of the prosecution, cut out the closing by the district attorney. The court thereupon instructed the jury as to the law bearing on the case. The jury then retired for deliberation. It did not take long to reach a verdict. They returned into court in less than half an hour with a verdict of not guilty. Only two ballots were taken, the first stood 11 to 1 in favor of acquittal, and the second was unanimous for defendant. The defendant was at once discharged, and his bondsmen exonerated.

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DIPLOMACY.

A Vague Threat That Meant Nothing, but Brought Quick Results.

The late Lord Salisbury some years ago sent a foreign office emissary to make some demands of a South American republic. Before setting out on his mission the emissary, to whom his lordship had explained the exact nature of the demands, desired to be informed as to the course to take if, after he had said everything, there was a refusal.

"Oh," answered Lord Salisbury, "this is not a matter in which we have the least thought of fighting! If the president refuses, why, you will simply have to come home again."

The emissary went and had his say to the president of the republic, who blankly refused to give in, and the diplomat retired to think things over. A few hours later he wrote to the president:

"I regret that your excellency does not see your way to recognize the justice of the claims which I have had the honor to present. I have now to say, on behalf of her Britannic majesty's government, that unless your excellency yields on all points which I have named it will be my painful duty to act on the second half of my instructions."

Under this vague and significant threat the president yielded at once.—London Telegraph.

HAUNTED ALASKAN ISLAND.

Ghosts of Russian Exiles Who Died of Starvation or Torture.

To the south and west of Kodiak, distant about 100 miles and forming one of the Semidi group, is the island of Chirikof, the haunted island of Alaska.

Enshrouded for a great portion of the time with almost impenetrable fog, this lonely isle is an object of terror to the natives, who claim it is haunted by the ghosts of Russian exiles.

The natives will not go near the island, saying it means certain death to invade the canny confines, and there are few men in the far north who have the temerity to test the truth of the many and weird tales told of this forbidding and barren island.

Shipmasters and sailors passing the place assert that the agonizing cries of Russian exiles sent there to starve or die by torture are sometimes heard on quiet nights, while the clink of chains and the sound of blows are testified to in an affidavit by a white man who once attempted to remain there for a week and who nearly lost his reason.—Tanana Tribune.

The Noise Habit.

A personal experience first showed the writer the possibility of a state of affairs where the habit of noise could become as fixed as the habit of a drug. Waking one night in the quiet of a country house far from other habitations, I suddenly heard the starting of the water-chug, chug, chug, chug. I lay listening to its monotonous vibrations and wondering at the unusual hour for pumping until I fell asleep. The next night the sound was repeated. On mentioning the matter to my host he confessed that he could not sleep in the quiet of the country; that the sudden change from the roar of a great city to the silence of the woods was so great as to cause him real suffering. As his only way to rest he would leave the house in the middle of the night, start up the pump and, lying down in a nearby hammock, find sleep brought him by the lullaby of the hot air engine. That man recognized that he had the noise habit and finally conquered it.—Hollis Godfrey in Atlantic.

Oddly Named.

A Mr. Hudson, who had made a large fortune as a dentist, had built a very expensive country house near Dublin, but of such an extraordinary construction as to bid defiance to the criticism of the architect.

One day after dinner at Curran's this singular mansion became a subject of merriment for his guests. The question for their satirical inquiry was, "What was its order of architecture?" One said it certainly was Grecian, another contended it was Saxon and a third that it was oriental, when their host thus interposed:

"Excuse me, gentlemen, you are all wrong. It is Tuscan. From the irregularities of the mansion and from its proprietor being a dentist the Irish call it Snaggletooth Hall."—London Answers.

Not Worth a Rush.

"Not worth a rush" is, as a popular saying, the predecessor of the now more common simile "not worth a straw." In precarpet days it was the custom to strew the floors of dwelling houses. When guests of rank were entertained fresh rushes were spread for them, but folk of lower degree had to be content with rushes that had already been used, while still humbler persons had none, as not even being "worth a rush."—London Standard.

The Benefit of the Doubt.

Horrid Citizen—Hey, there! What are you pouncing that man for? Man on Top—He says he can't remember whether he ever called me a liar or not. I'm (bliff) giving him (bliff) the benefit of the doubt.—Chicago Tribune.

The Producer.

"Does your husband play cards for money?"

"Judging from practical results," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "I should say not. But all the other men in the game do."—Washington Star.

The man who loves home best and loves it most unselfishly loves his country best.—J. G. Holland.

PLAYED WITH A LION.

A South African Child Who Ran to Meet the Big "Doggie."

The infant son of one of the Dutch settlers in South Africa had strayed away. After some time a search party discovered little footprints leading in the direction of the bush. Following up these, the search party came upon a large open space, at the farther side of which they discovered the object of their search sitting hugging a little wooden doll and munching a piece of bread and butter. Before they could make their way through the thick, tangled undergrowth a large lion sprang into the clearing. The little boy, far from being frightened, ran to meet the lion, holding up his bread and butter and said, "Take a bite, doggie."

The father stood powerless to move or speak through fear, expecting each instant to see the child crushed under the lion's paw, but instead of doing as he dreaded the lion turned himself over and lay on his back at the child's feet, looking up in his face as a cat would do at play. Watching his opportunity, the father raised his gun and fired, hitting the lion in the leg. The animal sprang up and, leaving the child, rushed on the party, injuring two of the number before it was finally killed. From this circumstance the child was immediately christened by the settlers "Daniel."—London Family Herald.

WAITED FOR HEALY.

An Incident of the Land League Agitation in Ireland.

One morning during the Land league agitation Mr. Parnell left Dublin by the early mail train for Roscommon to address a meeting. On arriving in the town he received a telegram from Dublin which ran:

Missed mail train. Will get down at 3 o'clock. Postpone meeting till I arrive. HEALY.

Mr. Parnell was pleased to learn that T. M. Healy, M. P., was coming down. Delighted, too, were the local promoters of the demonstration, and the meeting was gladly postponed for a few hours.

At 3 o'clock the railway station and its approaches were thronged with people with bands and banners, and the train from Dublin steamed in amid terrific cheering for Tim Healy.

The train pulled up, a carriage door opened, and the local reception committee rushed to it, when out stepped "Healy," but it was not T. M. Healy, M. P. It was W. Wallace Healy, a well known reporter on the staff of the Irish Times.

He had been assigned to the Roscommon meeting, had missed the mail train, and it was most important that his paper should have a report of Mr. Parnell's speech; hence the telegram.—Pearson's Weekly.

What Yeomen Were.

Yeomen were formerly considered to be by their title on a level with esquires, and they were called yeomen because, in addition to the weapons proper for close engagements, they fought in the wars with arrows and a bow which was made of yew; hence the word. After the conquest the name of yeoman, in reference to the original office in war, was changed to that of archer. The term, however, was continued with additions—the yeoman of the crown, of the chamber, yeoman usher, etc.—and we find that considerable grants were bestowed on some of them. In the legal view a yeoman is defined to be one that has fee land of the value of 40 shillings a year and is thereby qualified to serve on juries, to vote for knights of the shire and to do any other act which the law may require. The yeomen always took a leading part in whatever concerned the regulations or interests of the kingdom, and their renown as warriors is fully established by their numerous heroic achievements.—London Globe.

Insects and Flowers.

Experiments on showy flowers like the poppy tend to show that insects are not always attracted to flowers by the brightly colored petals, but rather by the perception—doubtless by means of smell—that there is honey or pollen. In these experiments the unopened flower bud is inclosed in a gauze net so as to protect it from insects, and when it expands the petals are carefully removed without touching the remaining parts with the fingers (for bees avoid a flower if the smell of human fingers is left on it), and the petal-less flowers receive practically as many insect visits as untouched flowers do.

Her Complexion.

We once knew a woman who quarreled with her complexion. At one time she touched it up so much that it became touchy. At another time it was beyond the pale. Occasionally it broke out and became very fiery. But, however much she quarreled with it, she was always ready to make it up.

A Mergar.

Regular Customer—There used to be two or three little bald spots on the crown of my head, away back. Are they there yet?

Barber—No, sir; it ain't so bad as all that. Where those spots used to be, sir, there's only one now.—Chicago Tribune.

A Hard One.

"When," he demanded, "will you pay this bill?" Smiling, we waved him toward our confrete.

"You must ask," we said, "the puzzle editor."—Exchange.

Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.—Emerson.

FRAUD ORDERS.

The Way Our Postoffice Inspectors Protect the Public.

When a person or firm that is unknown to the postoffice inspectors begins to receive large quantities of letters the inspectors begin to investigate. They visit the office of the concern and learn what they can. If it is a legitimate and honest business it is not interfered with. But if it looks "shady," if it happens to be a mining or land scheme that offers large returns upon the investment of money, the inspectors abstract a dozen or so of the incoming letters from the mail, get the names and addresses of the writers and then resell the letters and permit them to be delivered.

The next move for the inspectors is to visit the persons whose names and addresses were taken from the letters and to get from them the correspondence of the supposed fraudulent concern. With this the inspectors "make" a case and either cause the arrest of the dishonest persons or cause a "fraud order" to be issued against it.

A "fraud order" is simply an order made by the postal authorities at Washington declaring that such a business is fraudulent and warning the public against sending money to it. After that each letter coming addressed to that concern is stamped "fraud" in red ink across its face and returned to the sender.

Thousands of schemes for defrauding the public has been stopped by the postal authorities, and they are always on the watch for them.—Kansas City Star.

ROQUEFORT CHEESE.

The Discovery Made by a Poor French Peasant Boy.

A shepherd boy with a poor appetite discovered the secret of making Roquefort cheese. True as gospel! They swear by that story today in Roquefort, France, and if they only knew the lad's name they'd raise a monument to him. He was out tending sheep, and, the sun smiting down hard, he went into a cavern to eat his cheese and rye bread. He failed to get away with all of it and threw a hunk of the cheese off to one side. It happened to drop on a natural shelf, and a few months later the boy found the cheese still there. He saw that it had undergone a constitutional change, for instead of being dry and hard it was moist and creamy. Besides, there were veins of greenish mold running through it. The boy took a nip, and the taste was so pleasing he carried a crumb home to his mother. She must have been a woman of intelligence, for no sooner had she tasted than she took one of the largest rolls of cheese from her dairy, had her son guide her to the cavern and placed it on the shelf. In due time the same change was wrought, and Roquefort cheese had arrived as an article of commerce. All the natural caverns around the quaint old town now are used for ripening cheese, and the women work in them with small oil lamps strapped around their chests.—New York Press.

Hood and His Aunt.

While still a boy Thomas Hood went to Scotland for a holiday trip and stayed with his aunt, who was a rigid Sabbatarian. He describes how upon one occasion the old lady was too indisposed to go to her beloved kirk, but found entertainment in the description of the passersby furnished by her irrepressible "nervy." "Tammy, my man, keek out—what's that?" "That's Baidie So-and-So's daughter, aunt, and isn't she making desperate love to young Somebody, who's walking by her side?" "The graceless hizzie! I'd wauk her, gin I were her mummie! Keek out again, Tam." "There's Mrs. Blank, aunt, and she's got on a grand silk gown and such a velvet mantle!" "Set us up, laddie! She, indeed, the siller waistrife bodie! She'd better far pay a' she's owing. What's neist?" And so they would go on, the crabbled old Scotchwoman little suspecting half the "stour" proceeded from the active imagination of her "nervy" to heighten the fun and draw her out.

Overstocked.

Madge as the oldest of a family of girls has evidently heard and taken to heart the disappointment of her parents over the excessive femininity allotted by the fates to the family quiver.

When recently the fifth little daughter was born Madge was playing in the garden with one of her sisters and, as a neighbor considered, was decidedly rough with the child.

"Madge, don't treat your little sister so," remonstrated the neighbor. "You might kill her."

"Well, if I did," was the cool response, "there's plenty more in the house."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Unchanging Sport.

The sport of deerstalking is still the most natural and most nearly allied to the hunting of primitive man that is to be found in the British islands. The difference between the actual hunting of the hungry Piet and the stalking of the owner of a modern deer forest is little more than the weapon.—Field.

When He Feels Safe.

Bacon—A man feels more secure when his views are endorsed by others. Egbert—Especially so if the man in question is a baseball umpire.—Yonkers Statesman.

Out on Top.

Fuddy—Did you ever notice that successful men are generally bald? Duddy—Certainly. They came out on top.—Boston Transcript.

Amador County

Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 548 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley, foothill, and high mountainous lands.

Climate.—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown, thunderstorms are infrequent.

Gold Mining.—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers today one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

Agricultural Capabilities.—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not excel, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for many times the quantity now raised of these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Land is cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12000. Three fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

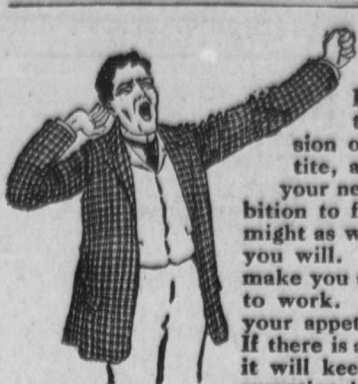
Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Oleta. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1909 is \$5,800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.



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GLOBE SIGHTS

Bulletin: Charley Hawk's hens laid fifteen eggs yesterday.

Women's schemes, like women's jokes, seldom amount to much.

We never get much excited about a boy wanderer; he usually outgrows it.

It frequently happens that the clever story-teller wastes a lot of time.

It may be said of the under dog, however, that he sometimes starts the fight.

The gentleman never spends much time in announcing that he is a gentleman.

It would be nice if a live man could have as many friends as every dead man has.

Occasionally, a boy goes to college, and seems to learn nothing more than not to work.

Another story we have little confidence in: That a woman passed for a man 35 years.

You may need a lawyer occasionally, but a more general need is to keep away from them.

The man who talks so much his cigar is always going out, might as well quit smoking.

Tim Murnane: There are two things all American: one the old flag, and one's baseball.

A boy's idea of a worthless dog is one which received its training at the hands of a woman.

A woman's idea of extravagance is to buy a dollar's worth of postage stamps at one time.

As much as the children like mother, they never approve of her great patience with father.

Since Adam started it, the fashion of blaming one's mistakes on others has hung on pretty well.

A boy's curiosity is aroused by a refrigerator, the same as a girl's is aroused by bureau drawers.

The difficulty of applying neatness to the process of chewing tobacco probably never will be overcome.

We never get much excited when an actor sings of the great virtue of Americans; actors brag a good deal.

We are not greatly impressed with the wisdom of statesmen. None of them seem to know how to reduce taxes.

One of the most expensive habits a man can get into is the habit of not being a gentleman. And it is a habit easily acquired.

Some men are crazy to leave a lot of money to their children, while other men say: "Let my children hustle for themselves, as I did."

We have many foolish ways, but we have never been indignant because of the heartless manner in which the government treats the Indians.

The trouble with the girl who powders is that she soon forgets she is engaged in a retail business, and branches out into the wholesale.

Considering that they are wiping on new towels, wearing new shoes, and cooking in new frying pans, young married couples get along pretty well.

So much attention is paid the college yell as to create the impression that students are being trained to earn a living after graduation by calling the cattle home.

So far as we have been able to find out, the only advantage in wearing false puffs and braids is that a woman can wash her hair these days without getting her head wet.

When a man has trouble with his stomach, it is due to one of two causes: Either his wife is such a good cook she is stuffing him, or she is such a poor cook she is starving him.

Here is a new way to reach distinction: To have hair that is hard to match at the stores. This is a greater mark of distinction these days than to have a disease that "puzzles" the doctors.

How many hairpins does a woman use when doing her hair? The hairpin editor of The Globe has investigated, and makes this report: She uses just as many as she has. If she has only two hairpins, she makes her hair stay up with two, but if she finds twenty in the top bureau drawer, she uses all of them.

All our life, we have lived where looting Indians were common, and always thought this a great joke: An Indian would call on a white man, and ask him for a letter of recommendation, which the Indian wanted to present in his begging trips. So the white man would write a letter something like this: "The bearer of this, an Indian, is personally known to me as a thief. As soon as he comes into your yard, unchain the dogs."

And the Indian, not being able to read, would present the letter to people with the greatest confidence.

Every man has been longing for a young woman worth \$10,000,000 to lay her affection and fortune at his feet, and coax him to run away with her. (The men may deny it, but we hope we know the men, having been one a good many years.) Well, a Philadelphia heiress worth \$10,000,000 coaxed a man to run away with her. Were they happy? They were not. In fact, they became dissatisfied with each other in a few weeks, and permitted themselves to be discovered. And the heiress in this case was named Roberta! So it seems that whatever happens to us, we are not happy.

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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

A Combustion Turbine—The Oily Tack Behind a Ship—Waste of Food Life—Shifting Centers of Earth Disturbance—Palestine's Promise—Electrical Meat-Curing—Gold Contracted by Heat—Out-Door Frescoes—A Problem Solved.

A new French motor combines the steam turbine, the gas-engine and the hot-air engine. The continuous rotary motion of the turbine is much less wasteful of energy than the reciprocating motion of piston engines, but attempts to utilize in turbines the great advantages of power from gas explosion have not been successful. The new machine is made to operate steadily and economically through simple gas combustion. The turbine of ordinary type and working well at 600 deg. to 700 deg. C., is of special nickel, vanadium or tungsten steel, and has a novel feature in a compressor on the same axle, that sends into the gas-generator a current of air at a pressure of several atmospheres. Heavy petrol oil sprayed into the generator is burned in the current of air heated to 1800 deg. C. The great volume of gas produced gives sufficient pressure to drive the turbine, but as the heat is too great, the excess is used partly for heating the air previous to combustion and partly to vaporize water injected into the gases. To resist the high temperatures, the gas receptacle is of metal lined with carborundum. The heat is fully utilized, and an odd mixture of air, carbonic acid and superheated steam turns the turbine.

The track of smooth water, or "keel water," stretching in the wake of a moving vessel is often noticed, but little understood. The effect is not due to the influence of oil on surface tension, through the stilling of the waves may be similar. Prof. Ahlhorn, a German investigator, has made some experiments with bodies moved on the water, and these show that the gyroscopic action of the eddies or whirls left behind on each side of the vessel smooth out the smaller waves and give the calm, oily-appearing track that is so familiar. The larger and swifter the ship the longer and broader is the smooth wake.

Through a single spawn of the female of the American toad contains 8,000 eggs. N. Miller finds no increase in the species. Dragon-flies, water-beetles, newts, crayfish and other water animals are destroyers.

Areas of earthquake and volcanic activity are traveling westward about 25 miles a year, according to the investigation of H. Wehner, a German physicist. He accounts for this by the novel theory that the earth's solid crust encloses a thin layer of liquid, within which is a solid nucleus rotating about the same axis as the outer shell, and in the same direction but with a slightly less velocity, the lagging behind causing the nucleus to make a revolution to the west in the crust in about 592 years. It is assumed that earthquake and volcanic disturbances result when projecting or active spots on the nucleus are moves under weak portions of the crust. From reports by ships during the last 60 years, it is calculated that the active spots of the Atlantic are nearly all collected at the present time under the region between 35 deg. and 41 deg. west longitude and 1 deg. north and 1 deg. south latitude, and that this area off the northeastern coast of South America may be regarded as a danger zone.

That the soil possibilities of Palestine and California are much the same is quite a revelation. Prof. A. Aaronsohn, of Haifa, Palestine, has pointed out that each region has a range of low mountains near the coast, and beyond this a long interior valley with a range of higher mountains for the eastern wall, and, as the prevailing winds have the same direction, the distribution of rainfall corresponds closely. It is found that the very similar climatic and topographic conditions have produced similar plants. The languishing of agriculture in Palestine seems to be a result of poor government, not of sterile soil and arid climate, and it is believed that under better management the economic plants that flourish in California will be successfully introduced. Among the plants discovered in Palestine is wheat, growing wild in high altitudes on sterile soil, that is considered the prototype of our cultivated varieties.

In electrical curing, meat is covered with ordinary pickle in large wooden tanks, through which is passed an alternating current of 35 amperes at 35 volts. The carbon electrodes are enclosed in porous cups dipping into the brine. The electrical action is not well understood, but the curing is hastened, and a vat of two tons of meat is treated for less than a dollar.

The curious transparency of gold leaf when heated in contact with glass has been found by J. C. Chapman and H. L. Porter to have a curious explanation. When gold leaf was stretched on a platinum loop and heated in a double-

walled quartz crucible, it became more taut with rise in temperature, and eventually the contraction tore the leaf in places. The contraction temperature was about 340 degrees C. A leaf held by one side was weighted on the other edge to keep it under tension, and after reaching the critical temperature it contracted very rapidly with further increase. The microscope showed a change to a structure decidedly more granular. The effect is produced in the leaf only, and on heating gold wire there was no contraction. The transparency when heated on glass is attributed to the numerous clear spaces produced by the tearing of the leaf.

An interesting substitute for frescoes in outside decoration has been proposed by Prof. Wm. Ostwald. The fresco was suitable for the Middle Ages, but the sulphuric acid always present in the air of coal-burning cities causes such decoration to be rapidly destroyed at the present day. The resisting ornamentation to take its place is a pastel done upon a specially prepared ground, then fixed with chemicals, and finally rubbed over with paraffin. A two per cent solution of casein serves as fixing material. The acid causes the paraffin to become insoluble, and the picture is thus preserved by the very agent that so rapidly effaces all frescoes. A sterilized base is a safe-guard against internal bacterial decomposition, imparting durability within as well as without.

Ferro-concrete as a building material for resisting earthquakes seems to have very favorably impressed Profs. Omori and Nakamura, Japan's seismological experts. In Messina they found examples of construction with this material. A house was quite unaffected, and in some factories with brick walls and ferro-concrete frame, the former had fallen out while the latter was left intact. A large reservoir of brick was completely destroyed; a similar reservoir of ferro-concrete passed through the earthquake without damage.

DON'T FRET.

Don't get discouraged when you hear
What people say about you;
Don't get the blues and drop a tear
Because they chance to doubt you.
Don't go around with troubled brow,
O'erlooking all life's beauty;
The folks that talk will suffer more—
Than you, so do your duty.

Don't fret and fume and wish them ill—
Their lives hold little pleasure;
Send back a message of goodwill—
'Twill serve to heap your measure.
Don't be discouraged, for the world
Will always criticize you;
Earth's dearest treasure is the few
True friends who love and prize you.
Lida Keck-Wiggins.

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Soon Sold Out.

Binks, the baker, stood behind his counter and gazed sadly at the huge pile of apple pies which were beginning to grow stale, for during the last few days business had been unaccountably slack. Suddenly he bethought himself of a plain. Sitting down at his desk, he wrote as follows:

"Genuine Offer of Marriage.—A young man of agreeable exterior and ample means desires to form the acquaintance of a lady with a view to make her his partner for life. Beauty and wealth not so much an object as a good character and amiable disposition. Young ladies who may feel inclined to cast in their lot with him are hereby requested to call at Binks's bakery this afternoon at 3 o'clock and as a recognition eat an apple pie."

This he sent to the local paper, and a few minutes after three the next day the whole stock of apple pies was cleared out.

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AND HE DID

"The late Mr. Smithers was certainly a man of his word," said Mrs. Binder, looking up from the morning paper.

"Late Mr. Smithers? queried her worse seven-eighths. 'I hadn't heard of his death.'"

"That's why I said he was a man of his word" (from behind the coffee urn again).

"Twenty-two years ago he told me that if I didn't marry him he would die; and he has."—Harper's Weekly.

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EMMA LEDOUX PLEADS GUILTY Of the Trunk Murder in Stockton

Sentenced to Imprisonment for Life.

From Stockton Independent Jan. 27

When it became known that the evidence of the medical experts was against her, Mrs Le Doux gave up the fight and last Saturday she wrote to her attorney, C. H. Fairall, that she was determined to plead guilty. She had been of the same mind several weeks ago, and word went out then that she was ready to plead guilty if assured of a life sentence but of course the promise could not be made for the court and the matter was not taken up to Judge Nutter until yesterday.

Yesterday morning's court scene, as far as San Joaquin county and local officials are concerned, terminated further interest in the gruesome and harrowing tale of the incidents connected with the murder, the subsequent placing of the body in the trunk and the attempt to ship the remains from Stockton to the home of the mother of the murderer, away back in the hills of Amador county, where chance of discovery seemed impossible to Emma Le Doux, who calculatingly and with cunning succeeded in getting the body of her victim as far as the Southern Pacific depot, where, owing to a slight error of detail in making shipping arrangements the horrible truth was revealed.

Just before the opening hour of the court yesterday Emma Le Doux, accompanied by her counsel, C. H. Fairall, district attorney George F. McNoble and deputy district attorney Grimm, appeared to plead guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree and accept whatever fate held out for her. Immediately after the court session district attorney McNoble telegraphed to the 96 witnesses who had been subpoenaed by the prosecution preparatory to the second trial, which was to commence February 2nd, excusing them from attendance. Noted Criminal Case.

The first trial of Emma Le Doux for the murder of Albert McVicar cost San Joaquin county more than \$10,000 and was one of the most spectacular cases ever held in the west. More than 3000 rulings were made by Judge W. B. Nutter, who presided, and attorney Fairall for the defense and Judge C. W. Norton, then district attorney, and George F. McNoble, then assistant district attorney, represented the people.

At no time since her arrest has Mrs Le Doux ever admitted her guilt or made any sort of a confession but did incriminate herself in a few instances by certain statements made.

Formal Proceedings.
The formal court proceedings in all its details just as they were conducted at the session yesterday morning are as follows:

The Court:—The people against Le Doux.

Mr Fairall:—If the court please, I appear in obedience to the written command of my client to perform a solemn duty. By the long confinement which she has undergone, I find her broken in health, in spirit and in mind. She wishes to plead guilty. I ask, therefore, to withdraw the former plea of not guilty made by her.

The court:—Is that your wish, Mrs Le Doux; to withdraw your plea of not guilty?

The Defendant:—It is.

The Court:—What is your plea now?

The Defendant:—Guilty.

The Court:—Let the plea of guilty be entered, Mr Clerk. Any evidence to be offered here respecting the degree of the crime?

Mr McNoble:—I will offer the evidence given at the first hearing in this matter.

The Court:—The testimony taken at the previous trial is received for the purpose of fixing the degree of the crime, and upon that the court fixes and determines the degree of the crime to be that of murder of the first degree. Under the law, Mrs LeDoux, you are entitled to two days before the judgment of the court may be pronounced upon your plea of guilty at this time entered, or you may waive that time and have the judgment or sentence pronounced at this time; which do you want to do? Have it now?

The Defendant:—Yes, sir.

Gist of Court Trial.

The Court:—On the 2nd day of April, 1906, the grand jury of this county returned to this court an indictment against you charging you with the crime of murder, alleged to have been committed on the 24th day of March, 1906, charging therein that you did upon that date willfully, unlawfully and feloniously, and of your malice aforethought, kill and murder one Albert N. McVicar, a human being, then and there being. Upon being arraigned upon this indictment you entered a plea of not guilty and your case was thereafter set for trial; you were represented by counsel, a jury was empaneled and trial had. Subsequent to that time, and

at the conclusion of the trial the jury returned a verdict as follows: "We, the jury in the above entitled cause, find the defendant, Emma Le Doux, guilty of murder of the first degree." Thereupon and thereafter a motion for a new trial was made and denied by this court, and the court pronounced its judgment upon the verdict so rendered by the jury. Subsequent to that time an appeal was taken to the Supreme court of this state. The supreme court, after due consideration, reversed the judgment of the court and remanded the case for retrial. After that time the remittitur of the Supreme court was filed in this court and your case was regularly set for trial for February 2, 1910, at the hour of 10 o'clock. Today, at your request, you have been brought in to court and ask that you be allowed to change your plea of not guilty to that of guilty; you have also waived the two days allowed by statute and requested and consented that the judgment of the court should be at this time pronounced against you, and the court has received the evidence and testimony taken at the former trial, and thereupon, and upon the same, has fixed and determined the degree of the crime to be that of murder of the first degree. Have you any legal cause now to show why the judgment of the court should not be pronounced?

Mr Fairall:—No legal cause, your honor.

The Court:—Have you anything to say before it is pronounced?

Fairall's Pathetic Appeal.

Mr Fairall:—The defendant has pleaded guilty, and the judgment of the law is about to be pronounced upon that plea, but before it is done I wish to say I still believe her innocent of the crime charged. She has not testified in her own behalf, but I am satisfied with and believe the story of this unfortunate affair she related to me at our first interview. She told me that she did not kill Albert N. McVicar, but on coming back to the room where they had spent the night together, after several hours' absence, she found him dead. Stunned and dazed by the awful realization of her situation, she sought to hide the body from the sight of man; she fled from the place. All her words and acts thereafter only the more firmly bound her about with a chain of circumstantial evidence until she fell exhausted at the prison door, beaten and hopeless.

If it be said that innocence does not flee, I can only reply that such words are uttered out of the mouth of inexperience. Have we not read in the Bible the story of Jacob and Laban? Laban, who had accused Jacob of theft, asked, "Wherefore didst thou flee away secretly, and steal away from me?" and the old patriarch, who could not justly be accused of stealing anything, answered and said to Laban, "Because I was afraid."

She is overcome by the oppressing force of the situation and, convinced of the hopelessness of further struggle, she seeks the solace of forgetfulness within the prison walls.

A frail and delicate woman, under the terrible strain and suspense she has "gone to wrack, disturbed and torn."

Without friends and without means, whichever way she turns she looks on the face of a foe. The physicians say she is physically able to go to trial, but in spite of the judgment of these men she is too ill to contend any further. Poor woman, she has suffered much; let us hope that her compensation will be complete rest.

I ask for the greatest indulgence in the power of the court to grant.

Sentenced for Life.

You may resume standing, just a moment, Mrs Le Doux, please. No legal cause appearing, it is the judgment of the court you be imprisoned in the state prison at San Quentin for the term of your life, and you are remanded to the custody of the sheriff of San Joaquin county in execution of the judgment.

Emma Le Doux' Letter.

Stockton Cal., Jan. 22, 1910.

Mr C. H. Fairall, San Francisco, Cal.—Dear Sir. Owing to the condition of my health, which has become badly shattered by four years' confinement, I do not feel able to stand the strain of another trial.

I therefore have decided to plead guilty and I want you to do what you can to dispose of the matter quickly.

Yours sincerely,
MRS EMMA LEDOUX.

Features of Case.

March 24, 1906—Albert N. McVicar murdered.

March 26, 1906—Emma Le Doux arrested at Antioch.

June 5, 1906—Emma Le Doux placed on trial.

June 23, 1906—Emma Le Doux con-

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victed and sentenced to be hanged October 19, 1906.
April 10, 1907—Transcript on appeal perfected.
January 13, 1908—Argued in supreme court.
May 19, 1909—New trial granted.
January 26, 1910—Pleads guilty. Sentenced to San Quentin for life.

Hotel Arrivals.

Globe
Thursday—Albert Nichols, Buena Vista; John Nicholas, J A Nicholas, Sacramento; C A Berry, Glenco; Fred Patison, West Point.

Friday—H G Spotton, San Francisco; Geo P Cate, Sacramento; B W Pitts, Pine Grove; M Vukosovich, Bay State mine.

Saturday—Wm Foss, L Katz, Joe Datson, S Row, John West, San Francisco; J D Nichols, Ritchey.
Sunday—W A Bailey, Yreka; Henry Lahorgue, Clinton.

Monday—Robert Jameson, G H Clark, C E Brumfield, J F Brumfield, O E Harrell, C Deaver, Will Ninnis, Plymouth; F E Blakeley, Pine Grove; F E Clark, San Francisco; Geo Yager, Ione; Joseph Garibaldi, Volcano; Bert Muller; T Jones.

Tuesday—Henry Greilich, Mrs Sarah Stevens, Drytown; H M Gibbins, Volcano; Frank Johnson, Sutter Creek.

Wednesday—F B Joyce, Defender; O Hammel, Clements; Geo M Leon, Albert Palmenter, H G Spotton, San Francisco.

National.

Thursday—F A Merrill, J Newman, G J Yager, Eric Schmidt, E W Perkins, F M Sibole, L T Eaton, W C Dillan, Walter Stewart, Geo Dunlap, Ione; H O Willis, Sacramento; E S Hopper, Martell.

Friday—Truman Cox, Ione; J F Cuthall, Sacramento; M Murphy, J B Doherty, Jessie Jacob, San Francisco; Peter Musto, jr, Stockton; E F Alderman, Galt; J H West.

Saturday—John Spencer, A P Sibley, C N Revis, Jesse Denend; H Schoffner, E C Solinsky, Morris English, Gus Moose, San Francisco; F A Hensley, Electric; Carl Bartlett, Berkeley; A Bailey, Yreka.

Sunday—W W Steele; M N Lanferry, Harry Budd, Ed Van Vranken, Stockton; Roy Van Vranken, Snelling; W H Smith, Perkins; J Massen, San Francisco; Ezra Taylor, Plymouth.

Monday—R M Van Vranken, Clements; T J Dowing, F P Curti, S Halub, Abe Arnheim, Theo Petermann, Fitzgerald, James Shealar, San Francisco; E W Keeley, Nevada City; Fred W Moore, Sacramento; Claude Wilson, Oleta; J W Allions, Plymouth.

Tuesday—J V Grass, H W Ralph, O M Atwood, Stockton; H H Hockett, E A Payson, Geo Dearborn, J W Warner, San Francisco; W C Gilpin, G W Hamman, Sacramento; B A Arneyer, San Jose.

Wednesday—B F Welch, L J Rodgers, San Francisco; W J Thirley, W H Sheets, J E Hunt, Stockton; D W McLaughlin, Berkeley.

Saved At Death's Door

The door of death seemed ready to open for Murray W. Ayers, of Transit Bridge N. Y., when his life was wonderfully saved. "I was in a dreadful condition," he writes, "my skin was almost yellow; eyes sunken; tongue coated; emaciated from losing 40 pounds, growing weaker daily. Virulent liver trouble pulling me down to death in spite of doctors. Then that matchless medicine—electric bitters cured me. I regained the 40 pounds lost and now am well and strong." For all stomach, liver and kidney troubles they're supreme. 50c at Spagnoli Drug Store.

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In the superior court of the state of California, in and for Amador county.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah A. Serine, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, in the court-room of said court, at the courthouse in the city of Jackson, Amador county and state of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Sarah A. Serine, deceased, and for hearing the application of John H. Werly for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed thereon.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 12th day of January, 1910.

J. R. HUBERTY, Clerk.

Spagnoli and Spagnoli, attorneys for the petitioner.

ALL kinds of Blanks for U. S. Land Filings—Homestead, Timber and Mineral blanks—may be had at the Ledger office; also deeds mortgages, mining locations, proof of labor and other legal blanks kept for sale.

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Wm. G. Snyder, attorney for plaintiff.

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